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ELIJAH DAVIS AND SUSAN  
MOLINDA WALL



WALLSBURG BIOGRAPHIES

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John, Nettie, Willard, Lenn, Lula, Nellie  
and Ora

*Mailman*

Elijah Davis was born August 15, 1850, at Council Bluffs, Iowa, son of William Luce Davis, born in 1824, in Indiana, who died very suddenly July 5, 1852, at Platte River, Nebraska, while on their way to Utah. Elijah's mother was America Jane Overland. She was born in 1827, in Kentucky. She married her husband's brother after William's death. She died in 1874 and is buried at Wallsburg. Elijah died August 22, 1922.

Elijah's wife, Susan, was a daughter of William Madison Wall, who was born September 11, 1858, in Provo, and died at the Heber Hospital at 99 years of age. Her mother was Elizabeth Penrod, who was born September 9, 1836, in Illinois, and died April 14, 1925, at Wallsburg.

Elijah hauled the U. S. mail many years, receiving \$1 a day. He had to go, no matter what kind of weather or if it was possible to get through deep drifting snow, or if the river was so high it was hazardous to ford it on horseback. Elijah had the first shingle mill in Wallsburg, furnishing many shingles to Wasatch and Utah County users.

Their children: William E., Willmirth,

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD

HUSBAND

Born 21 June 1824 Place Phelps, Ontario, New York  
Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Marr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Died 22 Mar 1901 Place Vernal, Uintah, Utah  
Bur. Mar 1901 Place Vernal

HUSBAND'S FATHER Isaac Perry DECKER

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES (1) 4 Feb 1847 Vilate YOUNG (3)

WIFE (2) (4) Sarah Louisa NORRIS

Born 22 May 1834 Place Montague, Sussex, New Jersey  
Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Died 21 Mar 1914 Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_

WIFE'S FATHER David NORRIS

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS -Note: Sarah Louisa NORRIS was engaged to marry Nymphus Coridon MURDOCK

SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

OTHER MARRIAGES

NECESSARY EXPLANATIONS

Husband

Wife

Ward

Examiners:

Stake or Mission

Charles Franklin DECKER 1824  
Sarah Louise NORRIS



CHARLES FRANKLIN DECKER  
Son of Isaac Decker and Harriet Page Wheeler. Born June 21, 1824, in New York State. Came to Utah Oct. 2, 1847, J. M. Grant Co. U. S. Mail Carrier 1851-55.

DECKER, CHARLES FRANKLIN (son of Isaac Decker and Harriet Page Wheeler). Born June 21, 1824, in New York state. Came to Utah Oct. 2, 1847, Jedediah M. Grant company. Married Vilate Young Feb. 24, 1847, Winter Quarters, Neb. (daughter of Pres. Brigham Young and Miriam Workan, who was born June 1, 1839. Their children: Miriam Vilate b. Jan. 15, 1848, m. Louis E. Granger; Alice Louella b. July 24, 1851, m. Joseph Pitt; Charles Franklin b. May 24, 1854, m. Annie Thomas; Louis Isaac b. June 4, 1857; Brigham LeRoy b. Jan. 14, 1859, m. Fannie Taylor; Patty Smoot, m. Emma Kammerman; Lorella Elmina b. Dec. 24, 1864, m. Heber C. Sorenson; Lois Elizabeth b. June 19, 1865; Fera Wallace b. Jan. 26, 1872, m. Leila Rogers, m. Emma Decker. Family home Salt Lake City. U. S. mail carrier 1851-55. Trail blazer and scout. Brought first planing and door mail to Utah. Died March 22, 1901.

O WIFE

(Date and Temple)  
TO HUSBAND

(Date and Temple)  
REN TO PARENTS

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**HUSBAND** *Charles Franklin DECKER*  
Born *21 June 1824* Place *Phelps, Ontario, N.Y.*

Husband *Charles Franklin DECKER*  
Wife *Margaret Jane MAXFIELD*

Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Died *22 Mar 1901* Place *Vernal, Uintah, Utah*  
Bur. *Mar 1901* Place *Vernal Cemetery, Uintah, Utah*

Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
Examiners: 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
Stake or Mission \_\_\_\_\_

NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON SUBMITTING SHEET

HUSBAND'S FATHER *Isaac Perry DECKER*  
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES *(1) 4 Feb 1847 Vilate YOUNG (2) Nancy Ellen MURPHY*

HUSBAND'S MOTHER *Harriett Page WHEELER*  
*Sarah Louise NORRIS (4)*

RELATION OF ABOVE TO HUSBAND RELATION OF ABOVE TO WIFE

**WIFE** *(3) Margaret Jane MAXFIELD*  
Born \_\_\_\_\_ Place *Lafayette, Christian, Kentucky*  
Chr. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Died \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_  
Bur. \_\_\_\_\_ Place \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE SUBMITTED TO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

WIFE'S FATHER *George M MAXFIELD* WIFE'S MOTHER *Amanda*

**LDS ORDINANCE DATA**

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

BAPTIZED (Date)	ENDOWED (Date)	SEALED (Date and Temple) WIFE TO HUSBAND
HUSBAND	<i>7 Feb 1846</i>	
WIFE		SEALED (Date and Temple) CHILDREN TO PARENTS

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names SURNAME	WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE TO WHOM	WHEN DIED		
		DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY		DAY	MONTH	YEAR
1	<i>George Robert DECKER</i>	<i>2 Sep</i>	<i>1860</i>		<i>SLC</i>		<i>SLake Utah</i>	<i>Nellie WELLS</i>	<i>2 July</i>	<i>1913</i>	
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*1. Archive #2 FLL in SLCU 7-15-88 by RRG*